

BEFORE THE OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

IN THE MATTER OF THE PROMULGATION AND)	CAUSE NO. 112
ESTABLISHMENT OF FIELD RULES TO GOVERN)	
OPERATIONS IN THE IGNACIO-BLANCO FIELD,)	ORDER NO. 0710-AW-22
LA PLATA COUNTY, COLORADO)	

NOTICE OF HEARING

TO ALL INTERESTED PARTIES AND TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

On June 17, 1988, the Commission issued Order No. 112-60, which among other things, established 320-acre drilling and spacing units for the production of gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Fruitland coal seams including the below-listed lands, with the permitted well to be located no closer than 990 feet to any outer boundary of the unit, nor closer than 130 feet to any interior quarter section line. Subsequent Order No. 112-85 amended Order No. 12-60 to include additional field rules for the lands subject to Order No. 112-60.

Township 33 North, Range 10 West, N.M.P.M., (SUL)
Section 5: N½ and S½

Township 34 North, Range 9 West, N.M.P.M., (SUL)
Section 5U: All
Section 6U: All
Section 7U: N½ and S½
Section 8U: N½ and S½
Section 18: N½

Township 34 North, Range 10 West, N.M.P.M., (SUL)
Section 12U: S½
Section 13: N½

On July 1, 2000, the Commission issued Order No. 112-157 which granted, at the discretion of the operator, an additional well within certain 320-acre drilling and spacing units, including the above described units, for production from the Fruitland coal seams, with permitted wells to be located in the center of the NE¼ and SW¼ of the section, and no closer than 990 feet to any outer boundary of the unit, nor closer than 130 feet to any interior quarter section line, subject to the Director approving exceptions for the permitted well location geological, topographic or surface location concerns.

On August 9, 2007, Chevron U.S.A. Inc., and Four Star Oil & Gas Company, by their attorney, filed with the Commission a verified application for an order to allow up to four (4) wells in each of the 320-acre drilling and spacing units consisting of the below-listed lands for the production of gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Fruitland Coal seams, with the bottomhole of each well to be located no closer than 660 feet to any outer boundary of the unit and no closer than 130 feet to any interior section line, providing that the Director has the right to approve exceptions to the permitted well locations for geological, topographic or surface location concerns.

Township 33 North, Range 10 West, N.M.P.M., (SUL)
Section 5: N½ and S½

Township 34 North, Range 9 West, N.M.P.M., (SUL)
Section 5U: All
Section 6U: All
Section 7U: N½ and S½
Section 8U: N½ and S½
Section 18: N½

Township 34 North, Range 10 West, N.M.P.M., (SUL)
Section 12U: S½
Section 13: N½

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the Oil and Gas Conservation Commission of the State of Colorado, pursuant to the above, has scheduled the above-entitled matter for hearing on:

Date: Tuesday, October 2, 2007

Time: 8:00 a.m.

Place: Public Hearing Room
Old Court House
544 Rood Avenue, 2nd Floor
Grand Junction, CO 81501

(Free public parking lot at 6th and White)

In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, if any party requires special accommodations as a result of a disability for this hearing, please contact Margaret Humecki at (303) 894-2100 ext. 139, prior to the hearing and arrangements will be made.

Pursuant to said hearing in the above-entitled matter at the time and place aforesaid, or at any adjourned meeting, the Commission will enter such orders as it deems appropriate to protect the health, safety and welfare of the public and to prevent the waste of oil and gas, either or both, in the operations of said field, and to carry out the purposes of the statute.

In accordance with Rule 509., any interested party desiring to protest the granting of the application or to intervene on the application should file with the Commission a written protest or intervention no later than September 17, 2007, briefly stating the basis of the protest or intervention. Such interested party shall, at the same time, serve a copy of the protest or intervention to the person filing the application. An original and 12 copies shall be filed with the Commission (Rule 503.). **Anyone who files a protest or intervention must be able to participate in a prehearing conference during the week of September 17, 2007.** Pursuant to Rule 503.f., if a party who has received notice under Rule 503.b. wishes to receive further pleadings in the above-referenced matter, that party must file a protest or intervention in accordance with these rules. In accordance with the practices of the Commission, should no protests or interventions be filed in this matter by **September 17, 2007, the Applicant may request that an administrative hearing be scheduled during the week of September 17, 2007.** In the alternative, pursuant to Rule 511.b., if the matter is uncontested, the applicant may request, and the Director may recommend approval on the basis of the merits of the verified application and the supporting exhibits.

IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

By _____
Patricia C. Beaver, Secretary

Dated at Suite 801
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